

# The Paducah Daily Sun

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PADUCAH, KENTUCKY., SATURDAY, JANUARY 3, 1903.

10 CENTS PER WEEK.

## WAS HELD FOR ARSON

Moss Clemmons Denied the Charge on the Stand Today.

Has About Recovered From His Attempt to Kill Himself a Few Days Ago.

HE WENT BACK TO JAIL

Moss Clemmons, colored, who was arrested several days ago in the lower part of the county on a charge of arson, was tried this morning before Justice Jesse Young at the latter's office or legal row and held to answer, going to jail in default of a \$500 bond.

Clemmons had been at work on County Surveyor Wrenn's farm near Woodville for quite awhile. A short time ago the surveyor's barn was burned, together with much tobacco, all uninsured, and Clemmons was suspected.

Early this week the house in which Clemmons himself lived, on the Wrenn farm, was burned, and the same morning Clemmons was arrested. When confronted with the charge by two residents he pulled out a knife and attempted to kill himself by cutting his throat, but only succeeded in inflicting two ugly wounds.

The evidence this morning showed that Clemmons, who claimed to have been drunk the night of the fire, slept in the north room, while the fire originated in the south room. The lamp and coal oil can were found in the south room, while the proof showed they were kept in the north room. Clemmons' clothing was found in the yard.

He denied setting fire to the house, saying that the blaze probably started from a crack in the bottom of the stove. When he awoke the house was so far gone that he could save very little. He said he didn't notify Mr. Wrenn or the nearest colored man because they both kept bad dogs, so he went to a neighbor's and spent the remainder of the night, and while on his way to Mr. Wrenn's was arrested.

He said that the reason he attempted to kill himself was that when he was accused of setting fire to the house he thought he might as well end it all then and there as to have such a charge made against him.

The final trial of the case will not come up until April. Many people of that section claim the negro is crazy, and no motive has been shown for setting fire to anything.

**STARTS MONDAY.**

NEW LAUNDRY READY FOR OPERATION NEXT WEEK.

The new Paducah laundry, at Fifth and Jefferson streets, is ready for operation and will start Monday morning. Mr. C. E. Gridley, who was in the laundry business here several years ago, will be manager, and the concern expects to do a good business from the start.

THE OFFICERS WERE FOOLED.

Henderson, Ky., Jan. 3.—Quite a sensation was caused here by the officers supposing a dead body was in a trunk. When the trunk was opened it was found to contain a package of odoriferous limburger cheese.

Attorney J. M. Worten left at noon for Hopkinsville on business.

## THE MARKETS.

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December.....	42	42
July.....	42	42
OATS—		
December.....	34	31
July.....	34	32
PORE—		
January.....	18 00	17 50
July.....	16 20	16 26
Terd—		
January.....	9 75	9 77
July.....	8 35	8 29
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January.....	8 30	8 30
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### DELINQUENT TAX NOTICES.

Hundreds of delinquent tax notices are being sent out from County Clerk Graham's office to people in the county, and his clerical force is kept busy issuing them. The delinquents are notified that they must pay or have additional penalties attached.

## A GENUINE PLAGUE

Many Dying From it in Mexico According to Reports

Terror Stricken Natives Are Fleeing by the Hundred From the Infected City.

### VICTIMS ARE MOSTLY WOMEN

Mazatlan, Mexico, Jan. 2.—There is no longer the slightest doubt that the disease now afflicting this city is genuine Asiatic plague, for microscopic investigation proves that bubonic pest bacilli are in the blood of those afflicted with the disease. The plague has grown virulent within the last forty-eight hours and the alarm, which had begun in some measure to abate, has returned with increased strength.

The people are fleeing from the city at the rate of 300 a day and some 5,000 have already gone.

It is a remarkable fact that more than 50 per cent. of the persons attacked are women.

The news of the recurrence of the plague at this port has reached the interior towns of the state, and is causing a panic. Sanitary cordons of armed men have been placed around the towns to prevent the entrance of any one from this place.

Mazatlan is a modern Mexican town of about 15,000 inhabitants on the Gulf of California, 183 miles from Sinaloa. Its business houses are enterprising and well stocked with goods. It is one of the prominent seaports of the west coast, and the seat of considerable commerce.

The products of the mining district of St. Sebastian have an outlet through Mazatlan.

### PRETTY WEDDING.

KENTUCKIANS MARRIED LAST NIGHT IN METROPOLIS.

Mr. Marcel F. Billington, of Lovelaceville, and Miss Maud Ogilvie, of Lamont, Ky., went to Metropolis last evening and were married at the Julian hotel by Justice Liggett at 7 p. m. It was one of the prettiest weddings of the season, and was witnessed by quite a crowd. The young people are very popular in the county and have relatives in Paducah.

### OFFICE CALENDARS.

A very serviceable calendar has been issued by the Chicago and Northwestern railway for the year 1903. The figures are large and easily distinguished, the days of the month and the consecutive day of the year are both shown; and the publication is of that solid and creditable sort which makes it desirable for business men and manufacturers. Send four cents in postage to W. B. Kniskern, Passenger Traffic Manager, 22 Fifth avenue, Chicago.

### MARRIED IN TENNESSEE.

Mr. Claude Johnson, a well known young printer of the city, and Miss Alta Heflin, daughter of Mrs. Ophelia Heflin of Harrison street, went to Union City, Tenn., Thursday and were married. They have now returned to the city and have received the congratulations of many friends.

### WENT TO SHILOH.

Mr. James H. Barkley of Springfield, Ill., formerly attorney general of that state, has gone to Shiloh Park to superintend the location of some of the Illinois monuments to that battle-field. Mr. Barkley has been here on a visit to his nephew, Mr. Alben Barkley.

### FAVORITE FAMILY REMEDY.

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### MARRIED IN INDIANA.

Mr. Harry Dill, formerly of Brookport, and Miss Maud McKee of Terre Haute, Ind., were married a few days ago at the bride's home. The groom is now proprietor of the Gazette at Harrison, Okla.

### VICTIM OF ACCIDENT.

Master Ellis Willett, son of Mr. Ed Willett of the Maxon's Mills neighborhood, while playing with some of his playmates a few days ago, fell and broke his leg. He is doing well.

## FIRST MESSAGE

The New Pacific Cable Now Working Well.

Congratulations Sent to President Roosevelt By Gov. Dole.

San Francisco, Jan. 3.—At 11:01 o'clock Thursday night the instrument at the San Francisco end of the Pacific cable clicked, showing that connection with Honolulu had been made, and that a message was coming.

The first words that the ticker printed on the tape were "You are reversed," meaning the Honolulu operator was getting the San Francisco signals backward.

The batteries were readjusted and then came the first formal communication from Honolulu over the new cable. The ticker sounded a message of congratulation and good will from Governor Dole to President Roosevelt. Then came a cablegram from the cable officials at Honolulu to Clarence Mackay, president of the Commercial Cable company.

Company messages followed rapidly, greetings being exchanged and messages passed to and fro.

### MARRY WEDNESDAY.

YOUNG MAN TO WED A BELLE OF UNION COUNTY.

Mr. T. A. Greenwill, a popular young farmer of the Maxons Mills neighborhood, and Miss Geraldine Austin of Union county, will be married next Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Sacred Heart Catholic church in that county. Immediately after the ceremony the couple will return to the county and that evening will be entertained by their neighbors.

### Essay on Men of Leisure.

Nothing is too good for a loafer if he can get it without working. A loafer has no fairness, no decency, no respect for industry, or honesty. A loafer would ride a free horse to death every hour if he had the chance. An industrious, worthy man has some modesty, some respect for those who accomplish results, but a loafer hasn't. Give him a chance to climb into a band wagon, and he will throw the players out, and announce himself as the best musician the world has ever known.—Atchison Globe.

### BALLARD'S

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### IS 90 YEARS OLD.

Mr. Ed Bradshaw, an uncle of Mrs. R. Rowland, yesterday celebrated his 90th birthday at Col. Rowland's on North Seventh street. Mr. Bradshaw still enjoys life quite as well as younger men, and yesterday many friends called to congratulate him and extend best wishes.

### COMPANY IS INCORPORATED.

The Kevil Improvement Co., of which Messrs. J. F. Wallace, Chicago, Z. C. Graham of Paducah and R. N. Kevil of Princeton are principal stockholders, was yesterday incorporated at Frankfort. As stated several days ago, the capital stock is \$16,000.

### NO POLICE COURT.

There was no police court this morning for the first time in quite awhile, there being no cases for trial. Matters have been quite dull about Judge Sanders' headquarters for several days.

### FOR COAL STEALING.

Florence Greer, colored, was arrested this morning by Special Officer Ogden of the Illinois Central for stealing coal from the latter road. There are others being sought by the officers for being implicated in the same affair.

### FORM A NEW COMPANY.

Mr. Joe Potter, the grocer at Third and Jefferson streets, and Mr. J. R. Province, the implement dealer, have formed a partnership and the name of the firm is now J. E. Potter and Co. They will handle both groceries and implements.

## Theatrical Notes.

Coming attractions at The Kentucky:

Tuesday night—Sam T. Jack's Burlesquers.

Wednesday night—"Sporting Life," the big English race horse play.

Thursday and Friday nights—"Black Vipers, or The Detective's Daughter."

Saturday matinee and night—Miss Kate Watson in "The Hoosier Girl."

Mr. W. A. Grigg and Miss Frances Fields, who were here all summer in the English Stock company, will be here with "The Black Vipers."

Miss Lillian Rose, who plays Olive de Carteret in "Sporting Life," is spoken of by the Eastern press as one of the rising young actresses of America.

One of the pretty ballads interpolated in "The Strollers," which plays here in February, is sung by Dorothy Hunting, a contralto of pleasing presence and beautiful voice. The song is entitled, "Would You be True to Eyes of Blue if You Look into Eyes of Brown?" and is one of the prettiest songs of the year.

Sam T. Jack's Famous Burlesquers, a show for the boys, will be here Tuesday night, being the first burlesque show The Kentucky has ever played, and the management requests the ladies not to attend the performance, as burlesque shows as a rule do not please lady audiences, although there is nothing said or done to offend.

"The Hoosier Girl," a capital comedy that is to be presented at The Kentucky next Saturday matinee and night, is a bright picture of rural life in the villages and country sections of Southern Indiana. The characters are not exaggerated, as is the case in most farce-comedies, but are true representations of people found in the above sections of the "Hoosier state," the home of the late and far-famed Senator Voorhees.

One of the best and liveliest comedies of the season will be presented at The Kentucky Saturday matinee and night. It is Dave B. Lewis' company of fun-makers, supporting the famous little versatile favorite, Miss Kate Watson, in the latest laugh-producer, entitled "The Hoosier Girl." There are so many pleasing features in this gigantic production of side-splitting complications that it would really be tedious to mention them.

W. A. Grigg, former member of the English Stock company, appears as George Bolton Bombay, a broken-down opera singer, in the new melodrama, "Black Vipers," which comes to The Kentucky next Thursday and Friday nights, January 8 and 9. Mr. Grigg has had a most extended experience in dramatic work, having appeared in grand opera and created a number of very important roles in leading comic opera productions. The part of Bombay is one of very effective low comedy and admits of the employment of Mr. Grigg's magnificent voice in musical selections of both serious and humorous description.

Miss Frances Fields, former member of the English Stock company, will appear as Mother Fangs in the melodrama "The Black Vipers," which comes to The Kentucky next Thursday and Friday, January 8 and 9. This character is strongly accentuated and belongs to that class of personations made familiar to the public by the well known character of Mother Froshard in "The Two Orphans." Miss Fields, through her extended experience in the portrayal of character parts, has succeeded in making a most vivid picture of this weird character, and has won the unstinted praise of both the press and the public. Seats go on sale for both performances Wednesday morning.

The "Belle of New York" opera company that will be here January 26 is identically the same company and cast that was here and made such a big hit last season, and indications are that when January 26 rolls around one of the biggest and most fashionable audiences ever assembled in The Kentucky will greet the favorite opera company. They are now on their return from a long Western tour up through British Columbia, and as they started early in August in the extreme Northwest and have been West ever since no one in Paducah has had the pleasure of seeing them this season. These are facts that are proven by the dramatic papers. They have made a tremendous hit again this season everywhere they have played.

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## THE SUN'S PUZZLE PICTURE.



Tommy had hopped the fence to get a few apples. What made him change his mind?

## The Week In Society.

### RING IN THE NEW.

We sat and watched the old year die,  
Before the fireplace broad and high,  
With embers all aglow.  
Outside the night winds blew their  
will,  
On plaintive flute and whistle shrill  
For dancing flakes of snow.

We talked about the fleeting whim,  
Of what we thought of her and him,  
Of what they said and did;  
The latest book, the newest play,  
The speeding of the season gay,  
The price for pleasure bid.

We talked at length of plan and hope,  
How with the future best to cope  
At last to win success;  
And when we had our thoughts com-  
pared  
We found each with the other shared  
In something to confess.

So when the bells rang out the old,  
Rang in the new, and all was told,  
A new life page was turned—  
The embers then had lost their glow,  
The lamp flame flickered dim and low,  
But love's light brightly burned!

—Wood Levette Wilson in Munsey's.

1902.

1903.

While the week has been filled with entertainments, it is a somewhat difficult one to chronicle. Many of the events have been those elusive informal affairs that are most enjoyable but hard to lay hand on; now they are here and now they are not. The New Year will have no reason to complain of any lack of warmth in his reception by Paducah society, for many of the parties were in honor of his coming, and 1902 was shown all proper respect too. Watch parties have been the order of the week, and form the larger part of the social calendar. There have been some more elaborate functions, but in general the spirit of informality has characterized the week.

### THE NEW YEAR GERMAN.

An exceedingly beautiful and elaborate function was the New Year german of the Cotillion club at the Palmer house on Wednesday evening. The dancing did not begin until 11:30 as the club attended the Otis Skinner performance first, and lasted through the early hours of 1903. It was a "ribbon german" and the figures and favors were especially pretty and effective, and were cleverly designed by Mrs. Victor Voris. The first figure was "Souvenir Favors" and the program cards were the favors. Figure II, was "Beaux and Belles" and large Marlborough ribbon bows were given to the men and bracelets of bells to the girls. "Derby Day" was represented by Jockey caps for the girls and whips for the boys. Dolls and rattles made figure IV, truly "Les Enfants Terribles." "Bonds and Weeds" was cleverly represented by strings of beads for the girls and cigars for the men. Figure VI, was "Winter Sport," a young lady driving two young men tandem with long ribbon reins and favoring one finally. "Candid Looks and Cuddled Crooks" was the seventh figure, and mirrors and candy canes were the favors. "The Cowboy and the Lady" was designated by pistols and bows. The fig-

ure was an effective tent scene. The attendance was unusually large, and a number of out-of-town guests were present. Some very striking and charming costumes were worn and added beauty to the brilliant scene.

Those in attendance were:

Dr. and Mrs. Victor Voris, Messrs. and Mesdames Edward Hesse of Louisville, David Sanders, W. B. McPherson, Cook Husbands, Harry Tandy of Frankfort, George C. Wallace, Ben Weille, Charles Kiger, and Harris Rankin, Mesdames Samuel Newman of Milwaukee, Alonzo Meyers, Birdie Campbell, T. C. Leech, Ed Wilson, W. J. Hills, and Armour Gardner; Misses Frances Harris of Dyersburg, Margaret Park, Teddie Keys, Lucy Thomas, Ruth Smith, and Agnes Carney of Mayfield, Anna Parks of Nashville, Agnes Morris, of Hopkinsville, Dru Crook, Ethel Hughes and Carrie Tomlinson of Jackson, Tenn., Myrtle Decker, Ruth Weil, Laura Sanders, Martha Davis, Hallie Hisey, Ethel Morrow, Evelyn Walker, Elizabeth Sinnott, Minnie Terrell, Hattie Terrell, Carrie Rieke, Mabel Rieke, Emma Reed, Gerald Sanders, Ethel Brooks, Blanche Hills, Lillie May Winstead, Faith Langstaff, Martha Leech, Mattie Fowler, Ida Leake, Henrietta Koger, Myra DuBois, Elsie Bagby, Susie Thompson, Messrs. Louis Rieke, Jr., Gus Thompson, James Smith, Urey Woodson, George Langstaff, Tom Harrison, John Sherwin, Herbert Hawkins, Henry Rudy, Stewart Sinnott, Ben Frank, Cecil Lacy, Edwin Wilson, Edison Hart, Hugh Williamson of Cairo, Leon Denison, Everett Denison of Marion Ill., Will Webb, Y. P. McElrath, Leo Keller, Arthur Everett, Frank Judge, Rob Doris, Abe Weil, Evert Thompson, Frank Boone, Roscoe Reed, Erv Albritton, and Emmett Carney of Mayfield; Dave Reger, Robert Wallace, Charles James of Evansville, Ed Toof, Charles Spillman, Allen Ashcraft, George DuBois, Tom Sanders, Douglass Bagby, Charles Cox, Charles Reed, Will Minnich, Glenn Parks of Nashville and Dr. I. B. Howell.

### CHRISTMAS SANS SOUCL.

Miss Myrtle Greer entertained the Sans Souci club very charmingly on Monday afternoon at her home on North Fifth street. It was the Christmas meeting, postponed from Friday of last week on account of the illness of a niece of Miss Greer, and the appointments were in keeping with the season. A small Christmas tree hung with little crimson stockings was a pretty feature of the decorations. The stockings were distributed to the guests and were used as "tally cards," tiny red bonbons being put in them for every game won. The club prize, dainty silver salt cellar and spoon, was won by Miss Laura Sanders, and the visitor's prize, a pretty picture, was captured by Miss Annie May Yeiser. An attractive lunch, emphasizing the Christmas idea, was served after the game.

Miss Greer's guests were: Mesdames Will Gilbert, David Sanders, Harris Rankin, Misses Annie May Yeiser, Florence Yeiser, Clara Thompson, Hallie Hisey, Mabel Rieke, Nell Paxton, Sadie Paxton, Minnie Terrell, Hattie Terrell, Myrtle Decker, Henri-

etta Rogers, and the already re-  
sa, Laura Sanders, Lella  
K. Sowell, May Davis, Lu-  
Weil, Martha Leech.

### MRS. EMERY'S CARD PARTY.

Mrs. L. W. Emery entertained at cards on Friday afternoon complimentary to her sister Miss Polly Ferriman. It was an especially pleasant party and was enjoyed by a number of guests. The first prize was won by Mrs. Thomas O. Leech, the lone hand prize by Mrs. A. J. Decker, and the consolation prize by Miss Anna Webb. A delightful course-luncheon with plum pudding was served after the game. The guests included: Mesdames M. Bloom, E. B. Schwartzberger, J. G. Brooks, Charles Wheeler, Cook Husbands, R. G. Terrell, I. D. Wilcox, Ellen Morrow, Sallie Morrow, Joseph Thompson, L. S. DuBois, T. C. Leech, A. J. Decker, Charles Trueheart of Louisville, Frank Bryd, D. G. Murrell, Ethel Meyers, A. R. Meyers, Annie Coleman, Garrett, D. L. Van Culin, David Sanders, O. L. Gregory, W. A. Gardner, Charles Emery, Lorenzo Emery, Frank Ferriman, Annie Morrow, Leslie Soule, Lawrence Gleaves, R. B. Phillips, James Rudy, Misses Nina Rabb, Hattie Sherwin, Claribel Rieke, Ada Thompson, Emily Morrow, Ethel Morrow, Faith Langstaff, Anna Webb, Anna Parks of Nashville, Tenn., Lucie Robison, Myra DuBois, Nellie Kirkland, Minnie Terrell, Hattie Terrell.

### MAGAZINE CLUB.

Miss Minnie Ratcliffe was the hostess of the Magazine club on Friday afternoon, entertaining most pleasantly at the home of her sister Mrs. E. K. Wilson on Broadway. There were several visitors beside the regular club members. Interesting reports were made from several leading magazines. Mrs. George O. Wallace represented The Century very delightfully, and Mrs. James A. Rudy gave an interesting article on China from Harper's Magazine. Mrs. Henry Overby read an entertaining piece on the "Points of Interest in Boston." From the Outlook, Mrs. Mildred Davis gave the "Biography of Alice Caldwell Hegan" and some interesting personal reminiscences of Mr. Cale Young Rice, to whom the gifted writer was recently married and whom Mrs. Davis had met at Montezuma; and Miss Alice Compton from the same magazine discussed "Chinese Hospitality." An elaborate course-luncheon was served after the reports. The ices were from Louisville and were in the form of fruits and flowers.

### WEST END CARD PARTY.

Miss Nina Rabb entertained at cards on Tuesday afternoon at her home in the West End. It was quite a pretty affair, and several original ideas were emphasized. There were four tables and the prizes were four books, one for each table. Christmas cards were used for the tallies. The prizes were won by Mrs. Charles Trueheart of Louisville; Miss Pollie Ferriman, Miss Carrie Rieke, and Miss Jessie Nash. A very delightful luncheon was served after the game.

The guests were: Mesdames Charles Trueheart of Louisville, David Sanders, Misses Fannie Taylor of Kansas City, Emma Reed, Claribel Rieke, Carrie Rieke, Mamie Noble, Emily Morrow, Ada Thompson, Hattie Sherwin, Polly Ferriman, Caroline Robison, Lucie Robison, Birdie Nash, Jessie Nash, Minnie Ratcliffe.

### THE MINISTERIAL BANQUET.

The banquet of the Ministerial Association of the city on New Year's evening from 5 to 7 o'clock at the First Christian church, was a most delightful occasion. The only guests present were the ministers and their wives and the Y. M. C. A. secretaries. The long table was set in the big dining hall and was effectively decorated in Christmas greens with the color-scheme of red and green carried throughout. There were covers for 23, and the four-course menu was elaborate and dainty. Rev. W. H. Pinkerton of the First Christian church presided as toastmaster and the occasion sparkled with wit and epigram. Clever responses were made by a number of the leading ministers on subjects pertinent to the speaker and the gathering.

### Y. M. C. A. NEW YEAR RECEPTION.

The Y. M. C. A. kept open house on New Year's day from 2 to 6 p. m. and from 8 to 11 p. m. and the occasion was enjoyed by a large number of guests. The woman's committee had charge of the afternoon reception, which was a very charming affair. An informal musical program was rendered by a number of the city's finest musicians, both vocal and instrumental. Delightful refreshments were served.

The feature of the evening was a novel trial for a breach of promise

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suit in which a number of prominent Paducahans took part. It was very bright and funny and was enjoyed by some hundred or more guests.

### APPROACHING WEDDING.

Announcement has been made this week of the marriage of Miss Susan Jones, the handsome and popular daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Jones, to Mr. James Porter Sleeth, the prominent young druggist. The ceremony will be performed at 5:30 o'clock in the afternoon of January 14 at the First Presbyterian church, by the Rev. W. E. Cave, D.D. The ushers are Messrs. Louis Rieke, Jr., Richard Scott, Oscar Hank, Joseph Sinnott, John Oehlschlaeger and Edward Pettit. The couple will leave on the 7:05 train for New Orleans and Tampa, Fla., from where they will sail for Cuba. As a courtesy of several years has preceded the wedding, the announcement comes as no surprise to their many friends, but the congratulations are very numerous.

### DANCE AT K. P. HALL.

A pleasant dance was given in the Knights of Pythias hall on Tuesday evening. The chaperones were: Mesdames George Boyer, J. M. St. John, John Kilgore, Charles Holliday and Minnie McElhaney. Those in attendance were: Misses Stella Kilgore of Bardwell, Marjorie Kilgore of Bardwell, Kate Holliday, Inez Kruger, Edith Lowe, Maybelle Beyer, Claire St. John, Carrie Wise, Nora Kelley, Mary Beadles, Eunice McElhaney, Lena Shelton, Floyd Swift, Messrs. Ben Wilson, Philip Rogers, George Holliday, James Lally, Charlie Carney, Mike Kelley, Edgar Warren, Howard Shelton, Ivo Pettit, Murray Cabell, Herman Willett, Carol Given.

### NEW YEAR MEETING OF SANS SOUCL.

The Sans Souci club was delightfully entertained on New Year's day by Miss Clara Thompson at her home on South Sixth street. It was suggestive of the day in every detail and was a pretty occasion. The tally cards were attractive representations of Father Time and the New Year. There were seven tables of euchre and the club prize was won by Miss Lulu Reed, the visitor's prize by Miss Myrtle Decker, and the lone hand prize by Mrs. S. H. Winstead. An attractive lunch was served late. There were a few guests outside of the regular club members who were all present except four who are out of the city.

### IN HONOR OF MR. AND MRS. DAVID FLOURNOY.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Flournoy gave an informal reception at their home at Seventh and Broadway on Thursday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. David Flournoy and their wedding party. It was a very charming occasion and a number of guests called during the evening. Delightful refreshments were served and the bride's cake was cut for the ring, thimble, and usual souvenirs. Many bright toasts and congratulations were offered.

The bride who already has a host of friends here, looked very charming in an attractive gown of white canvas cloth with a picture hat of white lace.

### A PLEASANT PARTY.

Miss Mabel Callissi entertained a number of her schoolmates with an enjoyable party at her home in Little's Addition on Tuesday evening. The hours from 8 to 11 were very pleasantly spent with games. Delightful refreshments were served. Among those present were: Misses Alice Coleman, Alice Hovious, Vera Johnson, Ethel Hawkins, Jessie Wallace, Essie Coleman, Sylvia Callissi, Masters David Yeiser, Harold Clark, Clifford Reddick, Willie Reddick, Hall Malone, Will Whitman, George Boyer, Ben Johnson, Will Kelley, Eddie Keir, Owen Kelley, Charlie Martin, Harry Mangie, Mr. Joe Rollston.

### LUNCHEON AND CARD PARTY.

Miss Virginia Noble entertained a few of her married friends most pleasantly on Wednesday afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock with an informal luncheon and card party at her pretty home on West Jefferson boulevard. The prize a plant, was won by Mrs. W. H. Bradley. Pink carnations were given as souvenirs. The guests

## Advice to the Aged.

Age brings infirmities, such as sluggish bowels, weak kidneys and bladder and TORPID LIVER.

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Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Weil entertained the Whist club very delightfully on Thursday evening at the handsome Weil home on Broadway. The ladies' prize was won by Mrs. Moses Schwab, and the gentlemen's prize by Major M. Bloom. An attractive luncheon was served later. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wallerstein, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Wallerstein, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Friedman, Mr. and Mrs. Moses Schwab, Mr. and Mrs. M. Bloom, Mrs. E. B. Schwartzberger, Mrs. Jeanette Weil, Mr. James Greenbaum.

### SWELL BOX PARTY.

Mr. Will Webb entertained with a box party at The Kentucky on Wednesday evening to see Otis Skinner in "Lazarre." The party was in honor of several visitors in the city and those occupying the box were: Miss Anna Parks of Nashville, Tenn., and Mr. Webb, Miss Elizabeth Sinnott and Mr. Everitt Denison of Marion, Ill., Miss Ethel Morrow and Mr. Leon Denison of Marion, Ill., Miss Henrietta Koger and Mr. Glenn Parks of Nashville, Tenn.

### "THE SUN MARCH."

Prof. William Deal, the leader of The Kentucky orchestra, has composed a march entitled "The Sun" which is dedicated to Mr. Edwin J. Paxton of the paper. It was played today at the matinee and at tonight's performance of the Gertrude Cogliahn troupe, and will be heard with interest. Prof. Deal is a fine and true musician and his compositions are certain to bear the ear-mark of his genius.

### INFORMAL PARTY.

There was an informal party on Monday evening at the pleasant home of Miss Susie Thompson on West Broadway, where a number of the younger society set gathered. A most enjoyable evening was spent by the forty or more guests who went to welcome Miss Thompson home for the holidays, from St. Louis where she is attending school.

### MISS HELEN DECKER'S DANCE.

Miss Helen Decker entertained the

### NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY.

Mrs. John J. Dorian entertained a pupile of her private school most enjoyably on New Year's eve at her home on South Fourth street. The evening was most pleasantly and variedly spent and the Old Year was watched out. Dainty refreshments were served. A number of guests were present.

### NEW YEAR PARTY.

Mr. and Mrs. John Slaughter gave a pleasant New Year party from 8 to 12 on Thursday evening in honor of their cousin Miss Lotilla Fowler, at their home on North Third street. A dainty four-course luncheon was served at 11 o'clock in the dining room which was attractively decorated in red and white.

### CALDWELL FAMILY REUNION.

Colonel and Mrs. R. G. Caldwell entertained at their West Jefferson street home on Tuesday afternoon. It was a reunion of the Caldwell family in honor of their first grandchild, the six months' old son of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Caldwell of Mayfield, and was a most pleasant event.

### DELIGHTFUL OCCASION.

The young men of the First Christian church were entertained by the Rev. W. H. Pinkerton with a delightful 8 o'clock dinner in the parlors of the church on Tuesday evening. Each young man was privileged to bring a young lady, and it was a most pleasant social occasion.

### A PLEASANT AFFAIR.

Miss Jessie Ellis entertained a number of her friends at her home on South Sixth street on Monday evening. It was a pleasant occasion and the evening was most enjoyably spent. Miss Ellis will return on Monday to college at Dickson, Tenn.

### SURPRISE PARTY.

A surprise party was given Mr. Will

(Continued on Sixth Page)



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#### DAILY THOUGHT.

"Thank God every morning when you get up that you have something to do that day which must be done, whether you like it or not. Being forced to work and forced to do your best will breed in you temperance and self-control, diligence and strength of will, cheerfulness, and content and a hundred virtues which the idle never know."

#### THE WEATHER.

Fair tonight and Sunday.

#### ALWAYS FOR THE CITY.

The Republican council's record is its own vindication. It was the only progressive council Paducah ever had, and not a single one of its acts can be construed as against the interests of the city and her people. This has been said before and is likely to be said again, but the events of the past year and in fact ever since the Republican council retired, have conclusively convinced the thinking people of the inefficiency of Democratic administrations. The people seen their money wasted with a hand, with nothing to show for it. They have heard the howl as ascended to high heaven all quarters, even from the Throat papers of the city, against axes and poor service. They witnessed how the Democrats office attempted to throw back ten years by forcing the city to the third class, and they rose in a great many other things they will take good care at the election, they will not have to in the city.

Democratic organs have sought, by presenting the Republican council as a blot on their own cause. In other day, one paper claimed the Republican council gave away the city for the river front railway. The Republican council did nothing of the kind. Everyone familiar with the city knows that a franchise cannot be given, but must be sold to the city. When the question of the council the city attorney, a Democrat and at the circuit judge, decided that the city of the railroad was merely a right of way. The city would be much better in the long run if they would agree in the first place, or if they can't agree, to settle their differences by arbitration, and it appears that they are beginning to see it that way.

Misrepresentation constitutes argument with some papers. The Sun has never advocated "leasing" the city light plant to a corporation or anything else unless it is the only practical way the city can at present obtain good lights. The officials in office know what is the matter and how much money it will require to make the plant serviceable. If they can get the money, have the work done and furnish good lights, the people will be satisfied. If the city can't do it, the people don't care whether the plant is leased or not, so existing dissatisfaction is dispelled.

Some bright ideas are evolved by the able city officials. Last night the brick street was washed off, and this morning the better part of the dirt and sand was found on the pavements in front of the stores for the people to walk on. The merchants had to get out their porters and have it swept off.

## A GENUINE PLAGUE

at he wanted to apol-  
the property was touched by  
the extension, and was at the time  
worth four hundred dollars. A few  
days ago he sold it for \$4500. Besides  
the belt line has saved much in the  
way of street repairs.

If anyone doubts the benefits to  
the city and the people from the  
right of way granted to secure the  
river front extension, let him interview  
the merchants, especially the whole-  
salers. Anything that helps the mer-  
chants and enables them, by reducing  
their expenses, to sell their goods  
cheaper, benefits the people.

As to the Sun's being a "corpora-  
tion paper," it has never taken a posi-  
tion on any public question that was  
not based on common sense, and that  
could not be sustained when fairly  
stated to intelligent people. Its posi-  
tion on the dual telephone system was  
based on the belief that it was acting  
for the interests of the public, and it  
was sustained by the reports from  
over ninety per cent of the cities writ-  
ten to in which the dual system is in  
operation. The action since taken by  
professional men and merchants of  
Paducah on the telephone question  
further confirms that position, and as  
there has been no reduction in rates,  
and it cannot be presumed that there  
will be any improvements in service,  
there is as yet no apparent advantage  
to the public in another company's  
coming here. Later on the people  
may judge for themselves, and then  
if we have been in error we shall  
freely apologize. The Sun has al-  
ways defended the Republican coun-  
cil because it made a good, clean rec-  
ord for progress and economy. The  
Democrats and their organs ought to  
build and run a few more light  
plants, make another \$1.85 tax levy,  
and then "farm out" the whole town.

Some of the members of the council  
who wouldn't know a cog wheel from  
a monkey wrench so far as machinery  
is concerned, pretend to know all about  
what causes the bad electric lights  
in Paducah, just how much the ma-  
chinery in the plant is worth and  
what ought to be done to improve the  
plant. And they appear to think that  
all you have to do is to say "Let there  
be light"—and there will be light. It  
can be authoritatively said that it  
will require \$8,000 to put the light  
plant in the proper condition, without  
installing any relay machinery for use  
in case of break down. If the city  
has or can get the \$8,000, and deems  
that way preferable to any other, it  
should get to work without delay to  
give the people better lights. This  
talk of "municipal ownership" is only  
a subterfuge of a few who haven't  
intelligence enough to see into a plain  
proposition, and who don't want to do  
anything to improve the city. No one  
has ever said anything about perma-  
nently disposing of the light plant.  
All that is wanted is to secure good  
lights, and the city need sell nothing,  
but may temporarily turn over the  
light problem to some one able to cope  
with it, until the city is in a better  
position to look after it itself.

The spirit of the times is showing  
decided tendency towards fairer treat-  
ment for both labor and capital. Gov-  
ernor Odell, of New York, said in his  
inaugural address that they should  
thoroughly understand each other, and  
they would get along better. It seems  
that the discussions of pulpit, plat-  
form and press, the decisions of the  
courts, and the various instances of  
arbitration are convincing both capi-  
tal and labor of the inalienable rights  
of each, and they will profit by it. It  
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## FIRST MESSAGE

How any man may quickly cure himself after  
years of suffering from sexual weakness, lost  
vitality, night losses, varicocele, etc., and en-  
large small weak organs to full size and vigor,  
simply send your name and address to Dr.  
Knapp Medical Co., 1610 Stull Building, Detroit,  
Mich., and they will gladly send free re-  
ceipts with full directions so that any man may easily  
cure himself at home. This is certainly a most  
generous offer and the following extracts  
taken from their daily mail show what men  
think of their generosity.

"Dear Sirs—Please accept my sincere thanks  
for yours of recent date. I have given your  
treatment a thorough test and the benefit has  
been extraordinary. It has completely brace-  
d me up. I am just as vigorous as when a boy  
and you cannot realize how happy I am."

"Dear Sirs—Your method worked beautifully.  
Results were exactly what I needed. Strength  
and vigor have completely returned and en-  
largement is entirely satisfactory."

"Dear Sirs—Yours was received and I had no  
trouble in making use of the receipt as directed,  
and can truthfully say it is a boon to weak men.  
I am greatly improved in size, strength and  
vigor."

"The correspondence is strictly confidential,  
mailed in plain, sealed envelope. The receipt  
is free for asking and they want every man  
to have it."

off again, and in a few hours the dirt  
and sand were back on the street. It  
is suggested that a poll of the people  
down town be taken in order to deter-  
mine whether they want the dirt on  
the street to look at or on the pave-  
ment to walk on.

It is claimed that the council will  
decline to accept the resignations of  
the two members who want to quit.  
When the best men begin resigning, it  
is time for them to get alarmed and  
try to patch things up by forcing  
men to hold offices with which they  
have become disgusted.

#### EPISTLE TO THE HEBREWS.

Book of the Bible Is Of the Most In-  
teresting Interest.

The question who wrote the epistle  
to the Hebrews is one which still re-  
mains unanswered. Endless sugges-  
tions have been made by Biblical  
scholars. The book has been ascribed  
in turn to Appollos, Luke, Aquila and  
Priscilla in collaboration, and others;  
but there is no consensus of opinion,  
no one claims for his own theory that  
it should be considered anything but  
a guess. There is a strange fascina-  
tion about this veiled prophet, so full  
of the poetry of an earlier faith, who  
has given to the world his conception  
of Christianity—to him a religion of  
conscience and of hope, to which he  
had "fled for refuge" from a decaying  
ceremonialism, a religion in which he  
had found "a strong consolation." Even  
to the unlearned the book is very  
literary, and those who know con-  
firm this instinctive judgment. The  
writer drops the threads of his argu-  
ment to find illustrations and orna-  
ments, and by no means disdain fine  
verbal effects. Hebrews has nothing  
of the eternal simplicity which has  
kept the meaning of the Gospel clear  
among the swords and pens of ten  
thousand theologians. No book in the  
New Testament—unless, perhaps, Rev-  
elations—has suffered more from the  
theory of verbal inspiration. Some-  
thing of the writer's real mind has  
been, we suspect, irremediably over-  
laid with the conclusions of dogma-  
tists; but for all those who desire to  
know what a cultivated man, who was  
not St. Paul, thought about Christianity  
before the end of the first century, it  
remains of intense interest.—London  
Spectator.

#### ALL JOINED IN THE CHORUS.

Yachtsmen with Megaphones Jogged  
Messenger's Memory.

The wife of a New York yacht owner  
was sending a man ashore from the  
craft as it lay off Shelter Island the  
other afternoon. As Dayles says,  
"It was cocktail hour and all was  
still." Waea the boat rowed by the  
messenger was a dozen lengths away  
from the yacht a woman's voice  
hailed him: "Peter, Peter, don't for-  
get the cheese grater." But Peter  
neither heard nor ceased to row. The  
woman rushed to the megaphone and  
presently the loungers on the piazzas  
of the Manhasset house, half a mile  
away, heard: "Peter, Peter, don't for-  
get the cheese grater." A moment's  
pause, again the woman's voice  
through the megaphone, more stac-  
cato than ever now: "Peter, Peter,  
don't forget the cheese grater." Just  
about this time a close observer  
might have noticed signs of action  
on the decks of all the other yachts.  
Shadowy forms, more or less pajama  
clad, stole on tiptoe from below, and  
then from Hanhanstet to Prospect  
there went up a mighty chorus from a  
hundred megaphones: "Peter, Peter,  
For heaven's sake, Peter, don't forget  
the cheese grater!"—New York Sun.

#### Sad Ending to Romance.

A pretty romance that had its be-  
ginning some years back in a western  
university culminated with a sad  
finale a short time ago in Manila, P. I.  
Miss Jeanette Williams of Denver  
traveled across the Pacific to join her  
flame, Rudolph Zunein, who was en-  
gaged as teacher in Nacalang Sa-  
guna. Guided by his friends in Ma-  
nila, she hastened to his house and  
found him in a dying condition. A  
clergyman was summoned at once and  
the wedding ceremony was performed,  
the young schoolmaster hardly whis-  
pering the replies to the ritual. With-  
in a few hours he was dead, the dis-  
ease being diagnosed as Asiatic chol-  
era.

For Chapped Hands use  
**Soule's Balm**  
for the Skin.

## THEO D-TIME BATH

SATURDAY NIGHT IMMERSION A  
TIME OF HORROR.

Middle-Aged Business Man Contrasts  
the Luxury of the Present Day  
With the Life in Small Western  
Town Twenty-five Years Ago.

"Last night," said the comfortable-  
looking man with the 48-inch waist-  
band, "I stood by," as the sailors say,  
while the wife bestowed a scrubbing  
upon my 7-year-old youngster. Noth-  
ing remarkable about that, is there?  
But it set me to thinking about how  
much better the kids of to-day have  
it than they did when I was a lad my-  
self.

"He looked mighty comfortable,  
that boy did, and he just lay there in  
the tub and let his mother swab and  
molly-coddle him with all the insou-  
ciance in life. When the dousing was  
over he stood up and let the tepid  
water from the shower run over him,  
and then he stepped out of the tub  
onto a bath rug, and his mother gave  
him a brisk drying with a Turkish  
towel. Then she anointed him with  
Florida water, rigged him out in a  
fresh night shirt, and tucked him into  
bed.

"I knew, when I was his age, this  
Saturday night bathing game was al-  
ways in store for me, and I used to  
look forward to it with a kind of a  
feeling of despair. But I'd dodge the  
job as long as possible, and I'd wait  
for my good mother to appear at  
the back gate and summon me home  
along toward 8 or 9 o'clock of the Sat-  
urday night. By that time she'd have  
the supper dishes all washed up and  
the pans in the kitchen all shining  
for Sunday, and the old wash tub,  
with the wooden handles sticking up  
above the brim, would be out in the  
middle of the kitchen floor.

"Get the water, son," she'd say to  
me, and then the job was on. It was  
a little western town where there were  
no water works, but the well was right  
out in the back yard. That well al-  
ways seemed about a mile and a half  
deep to me when I was drawing up  
the water for the Saturday night  
scrubbing. Then my brother and I  
would begin to race to see which  
could peel his duds off first, and get  
the first bath. The reason why we  
both wanted to get the first bath  
wasn't, of course, on account of any  
love for the bathing, but because it  
was so much fun for the one who had  
got through with the horrible job first  
to stand around nice and dry and  
warm, and make faces at the one who  
was just beginning to undergo the  
misery.

"Well, when I was the 'first un-  
dressed' I'd skate over to the old  
green-painted wash tub and feel of  
the water with one of my hands and  
feel sad with myself. B-r-r-r! but  
wasn't that well water cold, though.  
I'd stand there and look into the  
depths of the tub, shivering, until my  
mother made her appearance in the  
kitchen with her paraphernalia.

"Now, get in there, you boy," my  
good mother 'ud say, and I'd stick one  
foot in, swearing in my heart all the  
time that at the first chance I was  
going to run away to be a sailor or some-  
thing—and then my mother would ex-  
ert a sudden pressure on my shoulders  
and down I'd keffumuk in that  
icy water. I wouldn't be through gasp-  
ing and trying to get my breath before  
she'd begin on my upper superstruc-  
ture with a piece of red flannel for a  
washrag and half a bar of common  
yaller soap that had edges on it as  
sharp as a knife.

"Mother was pretty muscular in  
those days, and the way she'd begin  
to gouge and bore with that red fan-  
nel washrag and that soap was sure  
a caution to locusts. And when she  
wasn't busy with the hand holding  
the washrag she'd always let the  
durned cold thing hang, dripping,  
down my back. Such a swabberino!  
Talk about your military scrubblings  
and things like that, I'll bet they're  
not one, two, three with the washtub  
swims that that ever faithful, self-  
reliant, strong-armed mother of mine  
put me through when I was at the  
tender stage of life. I can smell that  
yaller bar of soap yet—it smelt like  
'rozum'—not resin, y'understand, but  
'rozum'.

"Maybe I wasn't always glad when  
she began to rinse me off by dipping  
a tin wash-basin into the tub and  
pouring the water on my head. The  
drying-off process didn't amount to  
much, but you can wager your gillules  
that it wasn't done with any turkish  
owel. Fact is, there'd often be a  
hyness of any kind of a regular towel  
in these occasions, so that I've seen  
my mother hunt around for an old  
dillow case or a remnant of some mys-  
terious cotton garment for the dry-  
ing part of the job. And I guess  
maybe I didn't breathe a sigh of deep  
contentment and relief when, after  
spooning into one of those old-fash-  
ioned, fuzzy-wuzzy cotton flannel  
drying garments for young uns,  
get into the old leather bed, with  
apple tree just outside the window  
I knew that the next bath was a  
week in the distance."—Wash-  
ington Post.

#### Arctic Coal.

The Norwegians are turning their  
attention to the large and promising  
coal fields on the southwest coast of  
Spitzbergen. For several years past  
their fishermen, while in these coastal  
waters, have observed the outcrops of  
coal. Their stories aroused interest  
at home and the coal fields were ex-  
amined as a possible source of profit.  
Several companies have been formed  
to carry on coal-mining in these new  
fields and there is much confidence in  
Norway that the new Arctic enterprise  
will be profitable.

# Cleaning Up ..Sale..

We know of no better way to celebrate the New Year than  
to clean our house of all odds and ends and remnants. First,  
however, we wish to extend our grateful acknowledgements to  
to our friends and patrons for the exceptional liberal and gener-  
ous treatment we have received at their hands.

## Remnants of Dress Goods

All remnants of dress goods and silks have been measured  
and marked at prices that will make exceptional cheap merch-  
andise. They are very good for children's dresses.

## Black Dress Goods

A big cleaning up sale of odds and ends. 2 black grena-  
dine patterns, 4 handsome black wool dress patterns, 2 lace  
over dresses, we offer at regular prices and will have same made  
by Miss Morgan free of charge when linings and trimmings are  
purchased of us.

## Cloak and Suit Clearance

A rare opportunity for those who have not purchased their  
winter wraps and suits:

All \$25 suits go at \$15 All \$15 cloaks go at \$10  
All \$20 suits go at \$12 All \$12 cloaks go at \$8  
All \$10 suits go at \$6 All \$10 cloaks go at \$6  
All \$5 cloaks go at \$3.50

## Blankets and Comforts

As a rule we have our coldest nights in January and Feb-  
ruary. If you have not laid in a supply of our blankets and  
comforts you will find it to your advantage to do so now. Our  
stock of these goods is in splendid condition.

Comforts at 75c, \$1 and up to \$2.75. Down comforts at \$5.95  
A large line of plaid and white 11-4 blankets at \$4.95  
Fancy cotton blankets at 90c and \$1.25

## L. B. OGILVIE & CO.

Agents Butterick Patterns.

Subscribe for the Delineator  
It Is Only \$1.00 Per Year

## CONDENSED STATEMENT —OF THE—

## American-German National Bank OF PADUCAH, KY.,

AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS DECEMBER 31, 1902

RESOURCES.	LIABILITIES.
Loans and Discounts.....\$ 641,301.68	Capital Stock.....\$ 250,000.00
Government Bonds.....50,000.00	Surplus.....65,000.00
Other Stocks and Bonds.....10,256.79	Undivided Profits.....22,694.49
Banking House Fur. & Fix.....20,000.00	Deposits.....681,413.00
Other Real Estate.....1,433.95	Semi-Annual Duty.....125.00
Treas. U. S. 5 per cent Fund.....2,500.00	Circulation.....50,000.00
Cash and Exchange.....323,736.07	
<b>\$1,049,228.49</b>	<b>\$1,049,228.39</b>

A dividend of 4 per cent. was declared out of the net earnings of past  
six months, and credited to the stock holders entitled to the same,  
payable on demand. GEO. C. THOMPSON, President.  
ED. L. ATKINS, Cashier.

## CONDENSED STATEMENT —OF THE—

## Citizens' Savings Bank

At the close of business Dec. 31, 1902:

RESOURCES.	LIABILITIES.
Loans and Discounts.....\$445,421.01	Capital Stock.....\$100,000.00
Real Estate.....800.00	Surplus Fund.....25,000.00
Overdrafts.....11,351.58	Undivided Profits.....13,705.19
Furniture and Fixtures.....1,000.00	Bills Rediscounted.....2,500.00
Stocks and Bonds.....2,970.00	Taxes Unpaid.....1,088.34
State Auditor.....725.99	Deposits.....493,819.74
Cash and Exchange.....173,844.69	
<b>\$636,113.27</b>	<b>\$636,113.27</b>

Dividend Number 29 of FOUR PER CENT was this day paid  
and placed to the credit of stockholders.

W. F. PAXTON, President

## Statement of

## The City National Bank Paducah, Ky.

December 31, 1902.

RESOURCES.	LIABILITIES.
Loans and Discounts.....\$ 744,518.07	Capital Stock.....\$ 200,000.00
U. S. 2 per cent Bonds.....200,000.00	Surplus.....100,000.00
Bonds other than U. S.....11,000.00	Undivided Profits.....46,436.10
Banking House.....5,000.00	Circulation.....200,000.00
Cash and Exchange.....118,918.33	Rediscounts.....11,500.00
<b>Total.....\$1,079,437.30</b>	Dividends Unpaid.....13,514.00
	Contingent fund, Tax acct. 23,108.03
	Deposits.....484,889.17
	<b>Total.....\$1,079,437.30</b>

A dividend of 6 per cent. was this day declared, payable on and  
after January 10.

# ROYAL BAKING POWDER

ABSOLUTELY PURE

Makes the food more delicious and wholesome

## LOCAL LINES.

## Social Notes and About People.

Phone 70 for coal. Barry & Henneberger.

Whittemore Real Estate Free Price List, 510 Broadway, phone 700.

A new and complete line of blank books, typewriter papers and guaranteed ribbons at R. D. Clements and Co.

Gen. Pass. & Tkt. Agt. ASST. CINCINNATI, O.

GATES, Geo.

A number of city lights were out last night as a result of the falling of telephone wires.

Oyster soup, fried Rabbit and German potatoes for lunch tonight at the Stag.

The Wilson society will meet with Mrs. H. W. Jennings, 1110 Monroe street, Monday afternoon at 3 p. m.

Go to Sam Gott's tonight for imported German beer and a fine lunch.

The installation of officers of the Odd Fellows lodges has been postponed from last night until next week.

Imported German beer and the finest lunch in the city tonight at Sam Gott's.

\$12 per 1,000 for ladies copying letters. Material furnished. Stamped envelope for particulars. Room 58, Crystal Novelty Co., Chicago.

Oyster soup, fried Rabbit and German potatoes for lunch tonight at the Stag.

The cable to be laid by the People's Telephone Co. across Tennessee river to connect with the Alexander line at Smithland has arrived and been stored in the warehouse at Eleventh and Broadway until ready to be laid.

Sam Gott will serve imported German beer and the best lunch in the city tonight.

Mr. Peter Puryear has qualified as a notary public.

Conductor D. G. McCann continues to improve at the I. C. hospital.

Capt. Ed Howard has not yet arrived to take charge of the marine ways, but is expected at any time.

The U. S. recruiting station here will be closed Monday, and up until this afternoon there had been eight applicants, but none were accepted.

The law firm of Taylor, Gilbert and Lucas, formed a year or more ago, has by mutual consent been dissolved and the young attorneys will hereafter conduct their business separately, although temporarily they will continue in the same office.

## BELIEVED TO BE LUCKY BALDWIN.

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 3.—A man registered as Edward Jackson, but believed to be "Lucky" Baldwin, the famous turfman, is here under treatment for cancer.

## PLUMBERS ON A STRIKE.

St. Louis, Jan. 3.—Over four hundred plumbers are on a strike here as the result of the refusal of master plumbers to grant their demand of \$5 a day.

## NEW SWITCH BOARD.

The East Tennessee Telephone company is increasing its telephone switch board at the exchange office from 1400 phones to 2000, and will soon have the new section which is now being installed, in and working.

## WATER NOTICE

Patrons of the Water Company should remember that their rents expired Dec. 31st. Those who desire to renew them should do so before it is forgotten, as all premises not paid for on or before the 10th of January will be shut off.

Our drugs and chemicals are equal in strength and purity to any on the market.

DU BOIS KOLB & CO.

Mr. Jesse Weil has returned to Harvard.

Mrs. James Foster is visiting in Benton, Ky.

Mrs. L. P. Jones is visiting in St. Louis.

Mrs. Minnie Herndon will return today from a visit to Clarksville, Tenn.

Mrs. Pete Burnett and stepdaughter have returned from a visit to Charleston, Mo.

Attorney A. Y. Martin has returned from a hunt in Mississippi.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Willis have returned to Louisville after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Dan Willis.

Mr. L. D. Fuqua will return to Duncan, I. T. Tuesday after a visit to Mr. Dan Galvin.

Miss Ethel Morrow leaves tomorrow for New York City. She will visit in Washington, D. C. en route.

Mr. Oscar Reber has arrived from Texas on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Reber, 908 South Tenth street. He was accompanied by his friend, Mr. Hugh Kelley.

Mrs. Mollie Calliesi leaves tomorrow for a visit to her daughter, Miss Ethel, who is attending school near St. John's.

Mr. M. F. Minzesheimer of New York, who travels for the Friedman-Keller company, is in the city on business. He was formerly a resident of Paducah.

Mr. and Mrs. Kos Little returned to Missouri today after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Little.

Capt. Wm. Purcell and wife of Tex. arrived last evening from Golconda, Ill., and leave tonight for home.

Mr. Clint Wilcox of McLeansboro, Ill., was in the city today.

Miss Alice Johnston will leave tomorrow for Ohio on an extended visit.

Mrs. W. E. Covington is visiting in Mayfield.

Dr. R. B. Brooks, who has been with the hospital corps in Cuba, was here yesterday visiting his former schoolmate, Mr. Ed Gilson. He has gone to Paris, Tenn., on a visit.

Postman Charles Holliday has gone to Woodland Mills, Tenn., to spend two weeks.

Miss Katie Clark and Mrs. Jesse Curd returned from a visit to Clinton today at noon.

Mr. Fred Williamson returned from Fulton today at noon after a visit to friends and relatives.

Miss Corinne Winstead returned from Mayfield today at noon after a visit to friends.

Mr. Ed Hubbard returned from Mayfield today at noon.

Marshal Charles McNutt of Mayfield is in the city today on business.

Mr. George Robinson is better today, his many friends will be pleased to learn.

Mr. Jack Cole, the well known carpenter, has gone to St. Louis on business.

Dr. A. B. Whayne of Fulton will spend Sunday in Paducah with his son, Dr. Will Whayne.

## TROUBLE FROM WIRES.

The city lights last night were greatly interfered with, according to Supt. Harry Wallace, by falling telephone wires. In some places live wires were formed which became dangerous. Supt. Joynes, of the East Tennessee company, this morning stated that none of his wires had caused the city any trouble last night, as none of them were down, and that it must have been other wires.

## HAD TO BE SENT BACK.

Mr. Ed McCormack, who was recently notified that he would soon receive \$9,666 in back pension claims, sent his vouchers off Tuesday but Thursday they were returned as the notary public had not inserted the word Paducah where it should have been. They have been forwarded again and a reply is expected soon.

Insurance of St. Paul's Cathedral. St. Paul's cathedral is insured in ten different offices. The amount is about \$95,000.

name of the hotel where I am stopping. JOHN ARIS which I have already re-

## A Well Known Contractor Dies After a Long Illness.

Former Paducahan Dies in Memphis —Child's Body Taken to Illinois.

Mr. John Arts, for nearly half a century a resident of this county, and for many years a contractor in Paducah, died at 11 o'clock last night at his home south of Broadway, on the old Clinton road, after an illness of about three years. He had for the past few years been in such ill health that he could not work. The deceased was 68 years old, and was born in the old country. He came to this section when quite young, but leaves relatives in Pittsburg.

He leaves a wife and several children to mourn his loss. He was a highly esteemed man, and his demise will be greatly regretted. No arrangements will be made for the funeral until relatives in Pittsburg are heard from.

Relatives here today received news of the sudden death at Memphis of Mrs. Charles Gossam, whose relatives reside at 337 Hays avenue, this city. She and her husband left Paducah about three years ago for Memphis to live, and have since resided there. The remains will reach the city tomorrow and be buried in Oak Grove.

Lena Alta Hays, aged three years, died today at 1010 Jones street from inflammation of the brain. The remains will be taken to Elizabethtown, Ill., today on the packet for interment.

## TO RABBI MOSES

A SHAFT TO BE ERECTED TO HIS MEMORY AT LOUISVILLE.

The monument erected by the congregation of the Temple Adas Israel in Louisville to their lamented rabbi, Adolph Moses, will be unveiled January 7. The memorial is a handsome one.

The exercises will be simple. There will be a brief address by Rabbi H. O. Enelow, formerly of Paducah, the present rabbi. The date of the unveiling is the first anniversary of the death of Dr. Moses.

## NEW THROUGH SLEEPING CARS BETWEEN CHICAGO AND SAULT STE. MARIE.

Beginning Monday, December 29, a new line of through sleeping cars will be placed in service between Chicago and "The Soo," via the Chicago and Northwestern Ry., leaving Chicago daily except Sunday, 8 p. m. Fast time and excellent dining car service. For reservations and full particulars apply to your nearest agent or address N. M. Breeze, 435 Vine street, Cincinnati, Ohio.

Quite a Difference. "Well, madam, you've got your wish —you've married a rich husband." "No, dear, I've married a rich man, but a poor husband."

## NOTED PALMIST CHARGES 25c.



Love affairs, marriages, separations, trouble, happiness, lucky events, days, chances, changes, adaptations, etc., are revealed in a marvelous manner by Dr. Mandeville, M. S. Charges reduced to 25 and 50 cents for a short time. Parlors 215 South Third street.

## TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Groves' signature is on each box; 25c.

Our Leak Proof Hot Water Bottles are good and strong Du Bois, Kolb & Co.

"Certainly, Craig. What is it?" "I have got a party on hand at my rooms for tonight, and I want you to be one of us."

That the obligation is

The price for advertisements in this column is 5c a line. Cash must accompany the order for all ads. There will be no variance from this rule for anyone.

WANTED—A position as stenographer. Address Box 17.

TO RENT—Rooms, furnished or unfurnished. 319 North Sixth street.

FOUND—A muff, on Broadway. Owner can have the same by paying for this advertisement.

LOST—A pearl pin, at the Palmer Friday night. Finder will be rewarded if returned to The Sun office.

PERSONS desiring copying or stenographic work done should call on the hotel stenographer at Hotel Lagomarsino.

FOR RENT—Six room cottage with bath, next to Christian church, on Jefferson. Apply to Dan McFadden at the postoffice.

THREE—Young men from Paducah and vicinity at once to prepare for positions in the government service. Apply to Inter-State Corres. Inst., Cedar Rapids, Ia.

## The Kentucky TO-NIGHT.

Management JAMES E. ENGLISH

### GERTRUDE COGHLAN

In a dramatization of Maurice Thompson's Charming Romance, "Alice of Old Vincennes" The original massive scenic production complete in every detail exactly as presented at Garden Theatre, New York for

## 100 NIGHTS 100

A special train will be used in order to play a special

## MATINEE Saturday SEATS ARE NOW ON SALE

Prices { Matinee - - - 50c, 75c, \$1 Night - - - \$1.50 to 25c

## The Kentucky

Management James E. English.

## Wednesday NIGHT ONLY Jan. 7

The Most Successful Play ever Presented

## "Sporting Life"

### Its Record

Six months at McVicker's Theatre Chicago. Five months at the Academy of Music New York.

## 10 Scenes of Wondrous Beauty 10

An Unsurpassed Cast of Actors Seats on Sale Monday 9 a. m. Prices - - - 25c to \$1.00

Next: BLACK VIPERS Jan. 8

## The Kentucky

Management James E. English.

## Thursday and Friday Jan. 8 and 9

TWO NIGHTS

## STANLEY WOOD'S

New Melo-Drama

## "The Black Vipers"

OR

## "The Detective's Daughter"

Stirring events cleverly pictured Large company of exceeding worth including Francis Fields & W.A. Griggs Late of English Stock Co. Seats on sale Wednesday 9 a. m. for both nights

Prices { All Orchestra - - - 75c All Balcony - - - 50c Gallery - - - 25c and 35c

NEXT: Saturday matinee and night, Kate Watson in

## "THE HOOSIER GIRL."

Misses Margery Crumbaugh and Anna Boswell returned at noon from Dyersburg, where they had been visiting since Christmas

Advice to the Aged. Age brings infirmities, such as sluggish bowels, weak kidneys and bladder and TORPID LIVER.

## Tutt's Pills

## Greeting

With many thanks for the increased patronage bestowed upon us during the past year let us now while on the threshold of 1903, assure and pledge ourselves anew to our many friends and patrons and the public at large, that with the increased facilities afforded by our large new store we will make every department in our big store merit your special and continued patronage during 1903 as never before.

Wishing one and all a happy and prosperous 1903, we invite you to feel at home here at all times whether you want to buy goods or not.

## Going to Have a January Bargain Sale

There's a long winter ahead yet but the profit making season on many lines of merchandise in jobbers' hands is ended. This condition has enabled us to buy many goods here and yonder at under prices. These bargain purchases will be reaching us through January. We have planned to give these savings to our customers and to make this January sale of more money saving importance to you than any like event that has preceded it.

## Harbour's Department Store

North Third St. One Half Square From Broadway.

## Illinois Central R.R.

Chicago and New Orleans Limited

Always a Pullman Train from Chicago

## MORTGAGE AND LOANS

### FOR SALE.

All classes property in every part of city, of which a few samples here given.

No. 1248 Broadway, 8 room house, very easy payments; price \$2,200.

No. 900 Brunson avenue, at corner Tenth street, 4 room house, easy payments; price \$1,000.

Nice 4 room house, with modern conveniences, in first class repair, west side Seventh street between Harrison and Clay; easy payments; price \$1,650.

Factory site, on railroad, at Madison and Tenth streets; price \$6,000.

Two circle front lots together, in Fountain Park, each 87 feet wide Will sell separate. Price on corner one \$750 and \$600 on inside one.

Two houses, one six and other five rooms, at northwest corner Sixth and Boyd streets. Will sell together or separate. See me if you want good trade.

Good eight room house, 60 foot lot, sewerage in both bathroom and kitchen. South side Jefferson street, between Ninth and Tenth streets. Excellent home on easy payments in best resident part of city. Price, \$5,000.

Good three room house on South Eighth street near Husbands, for only \$375. Excellent as investment for rent, or home for colored man a bargain.

No. 1740 Harrison street—in Fountain Park—new four room, nice house, 50 foot lot at \$1,000, or this with adjoining vacant 50 foot lot \$1200.

Seven room house on North side of Elizabeth street, third towards river from Sixth street, rents at \$13 a month for \$800.

Two houses on one lot at northwest corner Ninth and Ohio streets, total rents \$20.50 per month. Price \$2050. Easy payments.

No. 520 North Sixth street, rented by year to prompt paying tenant at \$35 per month. Price \$4,000.

No. 1036 Monroe street, excellent, 5 room house, 50 foot lot, very desirable home in first class neighborhood. Price \$1950.

No. 1341 South Ninth street, rooms, hall, shade and fruit trees Price \$900

Bargain for colored man in home at \$600, \$100 cash and balance in monthly payments. Situated on side Jones street between Eleventh and Twelfth, good 3 room house, on 4 lots.

50 lots in Fountain park at prices from \$125 to \$1000, terms \$10 a third and \$5 monthly payments.

No. 911 South Eleventh street, Pre room house, in good condition, a Cashier, third cash and balance reasonable terms. Price \$1000

Several corner lots on Olney street with joining inside lots to go with corner ones if desired.

No. 410 North Fifth street, 3 room house, lot front 57 ft. 9 in with plenty grass and shade. Price \$2250.

Cairo pike lots and on cross between Twelfth and Thirteenth south of the Griffith dairy at \$100 up.

Six houses for rent, different prices, from \$7 to \$13 a month

Several houses in Worton's for sale singly for homes or for investors, to whom low given, and if wanted easy payments.

No. 907 Clark street, an 7 room house, with sewer and all modern conveniences, a good home at \$2050.

Lot, northeast corner of Seventh, 57 ft. 9 inches front and back to alley, 100 feet deep, with sewer, a fine investment at \$1800 cash and balance wanted.

Large number of Real Estate Agency, at prices from \$50 up monthly payments.

200 Mechanics from \$50 up. Easy prices.

No. 1236 Monroe house at \$850.

REAL ESTATE

W. M. J. 520 B'Way, P.

# CITIZENS SAVINGS BANK

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For Further Information, reservations, tickets, etc., call on or address J. T. Donohue, agent, Paducah, Ky., C. C. McCarty, G. P. A., St. Louis, W. A. Kellogg, G. P. A., Louisville, A. H. Hanson, G. P. A., Chicago, Ill.

## NASHVILLE, CHATTANOOGA & ST. LOUIS R.Y.

Lv. Paducah	7:00am	2:15pm
Union Depot	7:15am	2:30pm
Paris	9:05am	4:30pm
Hollow Rock Junc.	10:05am	5:27pm
Jackson	12:40pm	7:35pm
Ar. Memphis	4:00pm	
Nashville	1:45pm	9:30pm
Chattanooga	9:30pm	
Atlanta	7:30am	

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Jackson	2:32pm	7:45am
Hollow Rock Junc.	3:30pm	10:20am
Paris	6:15pm	11:05am
Union Depot	8:25pm	1:15pm
Ar. Paducah	8:30pm	1:30pm

All trains run daily. Through train and car service between Paducah and Jackson, Memphis, Nashville and Chattanooga, Tenn. Close connections for Atlanta, Ga., Jacksonville, Fla., Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York; also for Arkansas, Texas and points south.

For further information, call on or address W. L. DANLEY, G. P. A., Nashville, Tenn. Or R. S. BURNHAM, Ticket Agent, Paducah, Ky.



Fast Scheduled Trains TO ST. LOUIS 3 OF THEM AND 3 ALL DAILY. Additional Charge SUPERB SERVICE AND QUICK TIME. ELEGANT COACHES. Day and Night Sleeping. Dining Cars. Time of Trains of any information, call on nearest ticket agent or address, O. P. McCarty, General Passenger Agent, CINCINNATI, O.

YE WHO LESS WELL VE HEED! 516 B. H. Griffith Props. the only kept by pay or h. fashed.

## A GENUINE PLAGUE

### Skin, Scalp and Blood Humours

Speedily Cured by Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Pills

When the Best Physicians and All Else Fail.

The agonizing itching and burning of the skin, as in eczema; the frightful scaling, as in psoriasis; the loss of hair and crusting of the scalp, as in scalded head; the facial disfigurements, as in pimples and ringworm; the awful suffering of infants, and anxiety of worried parents, as in milk crust, tetter and salt rheum,—all demand a remedy of almost superhuman virtues to successfully cope with them. That Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Pills are such stands proven beyond all doubt. No statement is made regarding them that is not justified by the strongest evidence. The purity and sweetness, the power to afford immediate relief, the certainty of speedy and permanent cure, the absolute safety and great economy have made them the standard skin cures, blood purifiers and humour remedies of the civilized world. Bathe the affected parts with hot water and Cuticura Soap, to cleanse the surface of crusts and scales, and soften the thickened cuticle. Dry, without hard rubbing, and apply Cuticura Ointment freely, to allay itching, irritation and inflammation, and soothe and heal, and, lastly, take the Cuticura Resolvent Pills, to cool and cleanse the blood. This complete treatment, costing but one dollar, affords instant relief, permits rest and sleep in the severest forms of eczema and other itching, burning and scaly humours of the skin, scalp and blood, and points to a speedy, permanent and economical cure when all other remedies and the best physicians fail.

### THE WEEK IN SOCIETY.

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Pieper at his home in Rowlandtown on Wednesday evening by a number of his friends in honor of his 25th birthday. It was a most pleasant occasion and the merry party watched the Old Year out.

### ENJOYABLE DANCE.

The young men of the younger society set entertained with a dance on Friday evening at the Palmer house. It was quite a delightful social event and was largely attended, many out-of-town visitors arriving especially for the occasion.

### NEW YEAR PARTY.

Miss Maybel Boyer entertained a party of her friends at the residence of her grandfather, Mr. George Rock, on Thursday evening. It was a most enjoyable occasion and the young people spent a most pleasant evening.

### NICE AFFAIR.

The pupils of the First Baptist Sunday school were pleasantly entertained with a delightful supper in the lecture room of the church on Tuesday evening. It was a largely attended and enjoyable occasion.

### RED MEN'S BALL.

The Otega tribe of Red Men celebrated New Year's eve with a large ball at their hall on North Fourth street. It was a very delightful occasion and greatly enjoyed by the guests.

### PRETTY PARTY.

Little Miss Helen Van Meter entertained a number of her young friends most pleasantly at her home at Sixth and Court streets on Thursday evening in honor of little Miss Dolly Enders.

### WATCH PARTY.

Miss Birdie Lee Jones of Broad street entertained a number of her friends with a watch party at her home on Wednesday evening. It was a very enjoyable occasion.

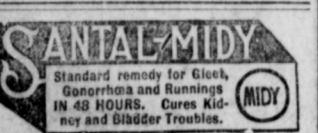
### THE COMING WEEK.

The Delphic club meets on Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Moses Schwab will entertain the Whist club on Tuesday evening.

The Choral Society will meet at the First Christian church on Monday evening.

The United Daughters of the Confederacy meets with Mrs. James Koger, Jefferson street on Tuesday



## FIRST MESSAGE

Miss Clara Given of Memphis, is visiting Mrs. Mary Alexander.

### ABOUT PEOPLE.

Miss Lucy Thomas of Mayfield, is the guest of Miss Ethel Brooks.

Miss Margaret Parks of Mayfield is the guest of Miss Lula Reed of Jefferson street.

Miss Agnes Morris of Hopkinsville, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. W. F. Bradshaw.

Mr. Robert Scott and Mr. Edward Scott spent several days in Dyersburg this week.

Miss Mary Boswell has returned home from a pleasant visit to Evansville, Ind.

Miss Ruth Smith and Miss Lizzie Dallah of Mayfield, are visiting Miss May Davis this week.

Mrs. Adolph Weil and son Henry have returned from a visit to Mrs. Weil's former home, New Orleans.

Miss Anna Parks and Mr. Glenn Parks are the guests of Mrs. Robert H. Phillips and Mr. Will Webb.

Miss Stella Kilgore and Miss Margie Kilgore of Bardwell are visiting Miss Kate Halliday of South Sixth street.

Miss Nell Briggs, of Mayfield, is the guest of Miss Ida Leake. She came to attend the dance of the younger society set.

Miss Frances Herndon returned home this week from Clarksville, Tenn., where she attended the big Christmas german.

Miss Rosalie Green and Miss Berta Green of Hopkinsville, were the guests of Miss Elsie Bagby for several days en route to Edyville, Ky., to visit.

Miss Evelyn Walker has returned from a pleasant visit to Dyersburg, Tenn. Miss Frances Harris accompanied her home and will be the guest of the Misses Walker.

Mrs. Pat Henley and Mrs. W. H. Stokes came from Mayfield this week to attend the Otis Skinner performance at The Kentucky. They were the guests of Miss Sue Jones.

A party of Mayfield people attended the performance of Otis Skinner at The Kentucky Wednesday night as the guests of Mr. Emmett Carney.

The party was composed of Miss Willie Miller, Miss Jennie Wire, Mr. Erv Albritton, Mr. Robert Albritton and Mr. Emmett Carney.

Miss Anna Webb returns to Washington, D. C., tomorrow after spending the Christmas holidays with her mother, Mrs. John L. Webb, and sister, Mrs. Robert Phillips.

Miss Webb will spend next summer in Europe, so her friends here have made the most of this little glimpse of her.

Miss Mary Lee Clarke of this city was one of the charming girls who helped receive at a large debut party in Evansville on New Year's evening.

Miss Clarke has been spending Christmas in Henderson and went over to Evansville on Thursday. She is very popular in both Evansville and Henderson social life.

Secretary Stuart B. Hanna, of the Y.M.C.A., and Vaughan Dabney attended the state convention of the boys' department at Frankfort this week. Master Dabney who is exceptionally bright, read a very able paper. It was a very interesting session of an important branch and work of the Y.M.C.A.

Mrs. Isaac Shelby Dallah of Palestine, Texas, and son Mr. Louis Dallah, who have been spending Christmas with relatives in the city, returned home this week. Mrs. Dallah will spend this winter at San Antonio, Texas, and did not make her visit here as long as usual, to the regret of her host of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. David M. Flournoy arrived Thursday from Cartersville, Ga., where they were married on Wednesday evening. The party from Paducah who attended the wedding also returned that day. They were Mr. and Mrs. George Flournoy, Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler Campbell, Mrs. E. E. Ellis, Miss Caroline Sowell and Mr. W. F. Bradshaw, Jr. The wedding was a very beautiful and elaborate function.

The Mayfield Messenger of Wednesday says: "Miss Mary Roberts and Henry Roberts gave a delightful 6 o'clock dinner Tuesday evening in honor of their charming cousin, Miss Corinne Winstead of Paducah. Quite an enjoyable evening was spent. Those present were: Misses Corinne Winstead, Mary Wright, Jean Carter and Mary Louise Roberts; Messrs. Howard Gilliam, Henry Roberts, Willie Wil-

and D. Mrs. A. Philbrick of Louisville were here this week en route from Florida, where they had been on their bridal trip. Mrs. Philbrick was formerly Miss Winnie Rambaut of Como, Miss., and has visited Mrs. Henry Thompson here. Mr. Philbrick is the popular superintendent of the Louisville division of the I. O. and has many friends here. They were recently married in Memphis, Tenn.

Miss Laura Jobe, Miss Drew Cooke, Miss Ethel Hughes, and Miss Carrie Tomlin, popular young ladies of Jackson, Tenn., who have been visiting Miss Lillie Mae Winstead and Miss Blanche Hills, have been the recipients of much social notice. They were the guests of honor at several very charming affairs, in the way of dinners, luncheons and theater parties. Miss Jobe visited here last summer and won many friends during her short stay. She returned home this week but the others remained over for the New Year's dance.

Friends who have seen Miss Aline Bagby in New York report that she is studying very hard and has lost none of her ambition in Gotham. She is taking a two year course in one. She is most popular with her instructors at the Academy of Dramatic Art, and her talent and charm of manner have made some very influential friends in dramatic circles as well as among the "400." She has been the guest on several occasions of her cousin, Mr. Bagby, the celebrated musician, whose concerts at the Waldorf-Astoria are regular editions de luxe, and has occupied his box.

Miss May Stockton who spent several months here last summer as a member of the English Stock company at the Kentucky, and is pleasantly remembered by many, has recently been playing in Salt Lake City, Utah. While there she was the guest of honor at a pretty six o'clock dinner given by Mrs. Clinton B. Leigh, a charming Kentuckian formerly of Owensboro and well known here. Miss Stockton is also a Kentucky girl, and the granddaughter of a pioneer Methodist minister of Logan county, Ky., from which region came Mrs. Leigh's ancestors also, so their meeting in far off Utah was a pleasant coincidence.

### COUGHING SPELL CAUSED DEATH.

"Harry Duckwell, aged 25 years, choked to death early yesterday morning at his home, in the presence of his wife and child. He contracted a slight cold a few days ago and paid but little attention to it. Yesterday morning he was seized with a fit of coughing which continued for some time. His wife sent for a physician, but before he could arrive another coughing spell came on and Duckwell died from suffocation.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat, Dec. 1, 1901."

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### COUNTY ROADS BETTER.

County Road Supervisor Bert Johnson has returned from the county and reports the county roads in much better condition than heretofore, despite the damage from the recent heavy rains. He has had a large force of men at work making repairs, and they are still doing a great deal of work.

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### SMALLPOX IN THE COUNTY.

There is a great deal of smallpox in the county, principally in the Melber district. Several cases are pretty bad, but the majority are of a mild nature and no physician was called. All places where the disease has been found have been quarantined. No new cases are reported and all the old ones are convalescent.

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"He never told me that, sir."

"Do you know?"

"I think so—partly. I do know that  
it had nothing to do with his mar-  
riage, for he chose the name before we  
left New York, and he never saw her  
until after we arrived in Mexico. He  
went there on some business that had  
been his father's. He believed that he  
could best attend to it if he were not  
known. And you must remember one  
thing, sir—although people in Mexico  
knew him by a name not his own, his  
wife, although she never bore his right  
name openly, must have known what  
it was, for the letters he received were  
properly addressed. I believe others  
were deceived, but that she was not.  
Now, sir, I have really told you all I  
know. I am, in fact, for I have made  
bold to conjecture a great deal. Per-  
haps out of it all you may find the  
missing links in the broken chain. I  
am sure I cannot help you any more  
unless you take me to Mexico and let  
me point out the house where he lived.  
That might help you, sir."

CHAPTER VII.  
WYNDHAM'S GAME OF DOUBLES.

AFTER that there was a hiatus  
which lasted several weeks,  
during which nothing worthy  
of record here happened.  
Wyndham and Escudera continued to  
meet as they had done before, and  
there were other interviews between  
James and Wyndham, which, however,  
developed nothing new.

The letters sent to Mexico by Wynd-  
ham were answered, but from them he  
derived no information that was of  
benefit to him in his search for the  
defiant mystery that had shrouded the  
life of Burr Pendleton.

With the exception that now and  
then some incident would recall the  
event to the memory of a reporter, the  
tragedy of which Pendleton was the  
victim was almost forgotten.

Even Wyndham himself began to de-  
spair of ultimate success, or, rather,  
he had about made up his mind to go  
to Mexico himself, where he believed  
the solution of the affair was located,  
when an event occurred which altered  
all his plans and which brought things  
ultimately to a climax.

He was sitting idly in the clubhouse  
one afternoon, wearily thinking over  
all that had occurred and endeavoring  
to decide what was best for him to do  
next, when one of the servants in-  
formed him that a lady in a carriage at  
the door wished to speak to him.

He rose wonderingly, for Craig Wynd-  
ham was in no sense a ladies' man. He  
never sought their society and, in fact,  
avoided them when he could. That  
one should drive to the clubhouse door  
and ask for him was so utterly unpre-  
cedented that he was for the moment  
flustered. However, he obeyed the  
summons at once and in another mo-  
ment was standing at the curb beside  
the vehicle.

The lady who had summoned him  
from the club occupied the rear seat of  
the carriage. Opposite her was another  
woman. Both were veiled. He rightly  
guessed that they were mistress and  
servant and therefore bestowed only  
one quick glance upon the woman who  
occupied the front seat. The other he  
regarded earnestly, for an instant only,  
while he tried in vain to peer through  
the meshes of her veil.

It was an artfully constructed affair,  
evidently arranged with an attempt to  
conceal the fact that it was intended  
for a disguise, and yet so cleverly worn  
that it effectually concealed the fea-  
tures of the wearer. Closely woven  
and doctored here and there by black  
spots and doubtless doubled, it was  
only sufficiently transparent to permit  
Wyndham to discern two glowing eyes  
behind it and to guess rather than to  
see that the face to which they belong-  
ed was young and beautiful.

Perhaps there was something in her  
voice which impressed that idea upon  
him, for he did not remember ever hav-  
ing heard one just like it before or one  
that suited him quite so well.

"Are you Mr. Craig Wyndham?" she  
asked the moment he approached her.  
He thought—it seemed to him, and yet  
he was by no means sure—that there  
was a slight touch of accent in the  
words, such an accent as a young girl  
for a long time at school abroad might  
acquire.

"Yes," he replied, "I am Craig Wynd-  
ham. I do not think, however, that I  
have the honor of your acquaintance,"  
he added bluntly.

"No," she assented. "I am unknown  
to you, Mr. Wyndham. Will it serve as  
sufficient introduction for the present  
if I tell you that I was Mr. Pendleton's  
friend?"

"His friends—that is, his real friends  
—may count upon me as a friend, mad-  
am," was the diplomatic reply.

"Did he never mention to you one  
whose given name is Carmen?" she  
inquired next.

"Never."

"Did he not tell you about the duel  
in Mexico?" she next questioned.

"He mentioned it; that is all. I never  
knew the particulars."

"She was silent for a moment then,  
but suddenly she extended one hand  
toward him and he saw that it contained  
a card."

"I will not mystify you any longer,  
Mr. Wyndham," she said. "There is  
my card. I have written it in the

name of the hotel where I am stopping.  
Would you like to hear the particulars  
of the duel to which I have already re-  
ferred?"

"I should, very much indeed."

"If you will call upon me this even-  
ing, there is much that I would like to  
tell you. The woman who is with me  
now is my servant. She will be present  
when you call, but she does not under-  
stand a word of English. Will you  
come?"

"Most certainly I will come. Will  
you name the hour when you will ex-  
pect me?"

"At 8. I have a private parlor, where  
we can converse undisturbed. Now,  
one more question, Mr. Wyndham."

He bowed, and she continued:  
"Do you know of a gentleman who is  
here from Mexico, by name Escudera?"

"I do."

"I hope, for the present at least, that  
he may not learn of my presence in the  
city."

"Nobody will learn that fact from  
me. I can assure you of that."

"How abrupt and how direct you  
are, Mr. Wyndham! Too much of both  
in coping with such a man as Escudera,  
if you will pardon me for saying it.  
But I did not mean my remark as you  
understood it."

"Will you tell me what you did  
mean?"

"I will risk offending you and reply.  
I mean that I doubt very much if you  
go anywhere without the knowledge of  
that man, and therefore I hope that  
you will see to it tonight that you are  
not followed and therefore uncon-  
sciously betray me."

For the first time since the interview  
began Wyndham smiled.

"Thank you," he said. "I confess I  
had not thought of that possibility, but  
I think I may assure you that Senor  
Escudera will not know where I call  
this evening."

"Do you speak Spanish, Mr. Wynd-  
ham?" she asked quite irrelevantly.

"Yes," he replied, still in English; "I  
speak several languages."

"Then if you will tell my coachman  
to return to the hotel I will be obliged.  
I gave him other orders when we started.  
He does not understand English."

"Does he understand the city suffi-  
ciently well to drive you about?"

"Quite so, thank you."

Wyndham raised his hat and closed  
the carriage door; then, having given  
the necessary directions to the driver  
and standing motionless while the ve-  
hicle rolled away, he turned and re-  
entered the club. As he mounted the  
steps he happened to raise his eyes  
and, peering at him from one of the  
windows, was the smiling and hand-  
some face of Carlos Escudera, who  
nodded at him genially.

Wyndham could barely repress a  
start of apprehension lest the Mexican  
had seen and recognized the lady or  
one of her servants. It was impossi-  
ble to determine whether he had or  
not, but he recalled with sudden em-  
phasis the word of warning that Car-  
men del Puente had given him.

He walked through to the back par-  
lor of the club and, having seated him-  
self beside the grate, dropped the card  
that he still held in his hand upon the  
coals and watched it until it had burn-  
ed to ashes. Then with the poker he  
destroyed the ashes, punching them  
down among the glowing embers. As  
he straightened up in his chair he  
heard the soft voice of Carlos Escu-  
dera behind him.

"Have pity on a poor fellow, Wynd-  
ham," he said, "and give me the bene-  
fit of your society a little while. In  
my language there is no word which  
expresses my feelings, but in yours  
there is one which fits it exactly. It is  
homesickness. Did you ever experi-  
ence it?"

"Often. Take a seat, Don Carlos.  
Have you an engagement for this even-  
ing?"

"No; nothing."

"Then I have an idea—one that will  
cheer you up, I hope. I will ask two  
or three others to join us at my rooms,  
and we will have a game of cards."

"That is kind of you, Wyndham."

"I'm not so sure of that. You may  
find the evening an expensive luxury."

"I'll take my chances of that," re-  
plied Escudera, with a grim smile. He  
was notoriously expert with cards and  
seldom lost.

"Suppose we make the affair an in-  
novation?" continued Wyndham re-  
flexively. "It is 3 o'clock now. We



He heard the soft voice of Carlos Escu-  
dera behind him.

will begin the game at 6 precisely and  
play till 6 in the morning. I can make  
up a party to do that, I'm sure. I'll  
have my man serve us something good  
to eat at midnight. How does that  
strike you?"

"As a good idea."

"Very well. Meet me at my rooms  
at 5. In the meantime I will have  
made up the party and have everybody  
on hand at that time."

This was agreed to, and the two men  
parted. Escudera left the club at once,  
but Wyndham looked until he had  
gone and then looked up Biggs, who  
was in the library.

"Carleton," he said, "I want you to  
do me a very great favor. May I depend  
upon you?"

"Certainly, Craig. What is it?"

"I have got a party on hand at my  
rooms for tonight, and I want you to  
be one of us."

"It strikes me that the obligation is  
on the other side, old man."

"Wait. You have not heard me  
through. The party is to convene at 5.  
At 6 we are to begin a game of poker,  
which is to last until 6 in the morn-  
ing. I'm—"

"I didn't know that you went in for  
that sort of thing, Craig. And you  
know—"

"Wait; wait! I know, of course, that  
you cannot afford such things, and you  
do right in keeping out of them, but  
this is an extreme case. I have another  
engagement for tonight, one that is  
very important, one that I must keep  
and which I desire to remain a mys-  
tery. Do you understand—an engage-  
ment that I do not want anybody to  
know about, an important business en-  
gagement; understand?"

"I begin to—yes."

"Well, this is what I want you to do.  
You will understand how thoroughly I  
trust you. At half past 7 precisely I  
want you to drive to my door in a  
four wheeler that you will have engag-  
ed at Madison square or anywhere, so  
that it is not here at the club. Pay  
the driver in advance. Tell him to  
hurry to my door, and tell him when a  
gentleman comes out and gets into his  
vehicle he is to start off at once with-  
out a word and drive as fast as his  
horses can go to the corner of Thirty-  
third street and turn the corner toward  
Sixth avenue. There, after he has turn-  
ed the corner, he will pull up until he  
hears the door of his carriage slam  
shut, when, without looking around, he  
will drive on and return to his stand,  
wherever that may be. You will give  
him \$5 for his trouble. He will be glad  
to do it, but be particular to have him  
do it just as I have said. My own car-  
riage will be awaiting me, and if any-  
body tries to follow me that person  
will have a good time of it. What do  
you think?"

"Excellent."

"Now for the remainder of your in-  
structions. Rush into my room in the  
greatest haste, all out of breath, and  
all that. We will be at the game. Say  
something apologetic for interrupting  
us and then whisper something—any-  
thing—in my ear. I will look amazed  
and a trifle annoyed. I will say aloud,  
'At the Waldorf?' You will reply:  
'Yes, and they are going away in an  
hour. I knew that you wanted particu-  
larly to see them, and I have looked  
everywhere for you. At last it struck  
me that you might be here. My cab is  
at the door. Take that, and you will  
get there in time.' That ends your part  
of the scheme. I will ask the others to  
excuse me—important business, won't  
keep me an hour, and all that, you  
know, and ask you to take my hand  
and play for me till I return. You con-  
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it all, Carleton? I'll never forget it."

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mind; don't let anybody see you take  
it. Remember, half past 7."

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away?"

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three at the most. Play my hand free-  
ly. I won't mind if you lose considera-  
bly to keep them interested. You un-  
derstand?"

"Yes."

"Biggs, you're a trump. I cannot tell  
you how you have relieved me."

After that Wyndham wrote several  
notes, which he sent out by messenger  
boys, with instructions to bring replies.  
They were all in by half past 4 and  
were evidently satisfactory, for Craig  
Wyndham did not look in the least  
worried when he left the club and re-  
paired to his own apartments, which,  
by the way, were the same that had  
formerly been occupied by Burr Pen-  
dleton. The servant who waited upon  
him there also looked strangely like  
James. However, he answered to the  
name of Thomas, only that the smooth  
face was covered by a heavy growth  
of beard dyed black and a perfectly  
made wig of the same hue. Add to  
that the fact that he rarely appeared  
when his master had company, and  
you have grasped the situation.

He was not, however, the person to  
whom Wyndham had referred in his  
talk with Escudera as "my man," so  
there was no danger that James would  
be seen by those who might recognize  
him.

At 5 precisely Don Carlos arrived,  
and by half past 5 the expected guests  
were all there. There was a luncheon  
prepared for them, but all claimed that  
in anticipation of the midnight dinner  
they had already "stayed their stom-  
achs," so that it went untasted.

At 6 the game began, and it proceeded  
merrily without interruption for an  
hour and a half, when the doorman  
rang, and an instant later Carleton  
Biggs rushed in.

He played his part beautifully. There  
was not a hitch anywhere. Within ten  
minutes after he entered the room  
Craig Wyndham left it, rushed down  
the one flight of stairs to the street,  
leaped into the carriage and was driven  
away. And back in the parlor of his  
apartment the game went on almost  
without interruption.

If Escudera felt annoyance at this  
sudden departure of the host, he gave  
no sign of it. If there were, as Wynd-  
ham now suspected, others in his em-  
ploy on the watch to dog the footsteps  
of the American, they succeeded only  
in following an empty carriage to its  
stand along the western side of Mad-  
ison square. As for Craig, he changed  
to the second vehicle without trouble  
and at 8 o'clock was in the presence  
of Senorita del Puente and her duenna,  
but it was in a hotel much farther up  
town than the Waldorf, and if there  
had been watchers on his track they  
would wait a long time before they  
could hope to discover him at that fa-  
mous hostelry.

"Certainly, Craig. What is it?"  
"I have got a party on hand at my  
rooms for tonight, and I want you to  
be one of us."

"It strikes me that the obligation is  
on the other side, old man."

"Wait. You have not heard me  
through. The party is to convene at 5.  
At 6 we are to begin a game of poker,  
which is to last until 6 in the morn-  
ing. I'm—"

"I didn't know that you went in for  
that sort of thing, Craig. And you  
know—"

"Wait; wait! I know, of course, that  
you cannot afford such things, and you  
do right in keeping out of them, but  
this is an extreme case. I have another  
engagement for tonight, one that is  
very important, one that I must keep  
and which I desire to remain a mys-  
tery. Do you understand—an engage-  
ment that I do not want anybody to  
know about, an important business en-  
gagement; understand?"

"I begin to—yes."

"Well, this is what I want you to do.  
You will understand how thoroughly I  
trust you. At half past 7 precisely I  
want you to drive to my door in a  
four wheeler that you will have engag-  
ed at Madison square or anywhere, so  
that it is not here at the club. Pay  
the driver in advance. Tell him to  
hurry to my door, and tell him when a  
gentleman comes out and gets into his  
vehicle he is to start off at once with-  
out a word and drive as fast as his  
horses can go to the corner of Thirty-  
third street and turn the corner toward  
Sixth avenue. There, after he has turn-  
ed the corner, he will pull up until he  
hears the door of his carriage slam  
shut, when, without looking around, he  
will drive on and return to his stand,  
wherever that may be. You will give  
him \$5 for his trouble. He will be glad  
to do it, but be particular to have him  
do it just as I have said. My own car-  
riage will be awaiting me, and if any-  
body tries to follow me that person  
will have a good time of it. What do  
you think?"

"Excellent."

"Now for the remainder of your in-  
structions. Rush into my room in the  
greatest haste, all out of breath, and  
all that. We will be at the game. Say  
something apologetic for interrupting  
us and then whisper something—any-  
thing—in my ear. I will look amazed  
and a trifle annoyed. I will say aloud,  
'At the Waldorf?' You will reply:  
'Yes, and they are going away in an  
hour. I knew that you wanted particu-  
larly to see them, and I have looked  
everywhere for you. At last it struck  
me that you might be here. My cab is  
at the door. Take that, and you will  
get there in time.' That ends your part  
of the scheme. I will ask the others to  
excuse me—important business, won't  
keep me an hour, and all that, you  
know, and ask you to take my hand  
and play for me till I return. You con-  
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**Advice to the Aged.**

Age brings infirmities, such as stag-  
gish bowels, weak kidneys and blad-  
der and TORPID LIVER.

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have a specific effect on these organs,  
stimulating the bowels, causing them  
to perform their natural functions as  
in youth and

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to the kidneys, bladder and LIVER.  
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**SOME STARTLING REVELATIONS.**

"ARE you quite sure that you  
were not followed?" she in-  
quired after their greetings  
were over.

"Quite so, senorita," replied Wynd-  
ham, with a smile.

Then in a few words he related all  
that he had done to obviate such a pos-  
sibility, and she laughed heartily at his  
description.

Craig Wyndham had prepared to en-  
counter beauty when he entered the  
presence of Carmen del Puente, and  
yet when the reality was before him he  
was conscious of a shock of surprise.  
Beauty in women had never affected  
him beyond the point of mere admira-  
tion, but the earnest, steadfast eyes,  
perfect features and high character  
that shone in the face of Carmen del  
Puente awoke some hitherto dormant  
sense of appreciation within him. Be-  
fore he had been ten minutes in her  
presence he felt as if they were old  
friends, as if somehow or somewhere  
they had known each other always.

There were sincerity, truth, earnest-  
ness, high purpose and indomitable res-  
olution in every expression of her fea-  
tures, in every gesture she made, and  
Wyndham, who rarely trusted anybody  
until that person had been thoroughly  
tried, felt that he might with com-  
placency put implicit trust in this wo-  
man.

"We have a long interview before us,  
Mr. Wyndham," she said presently. "I  
want you to be comfortable and thor-  
oughly at your ease, so I have taken  
the liberty of providing some very ex-  
cellent cigars for you to smoke. You  
need not hesitate. You know, in my  
country we are accustomed to tobacco  
smoke. You will be more comfortable  
if you can waste your temper on the  
end of a cigar when I say things to  
annoy or astonish you."

He took her at her word without  
comment. They sat opposite each other  
at one end of the room, while the  
duenna remained at the other, industri-  
ously sewing or knitting or doing  
drawnwork. Wyndham could not tell  
which.

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## IN THE CHURCHES

Ev. Lutheran church, South Fourth  
street: Sunday school 9 a. m. Ger-  
man preaching 10:15 a. m. English  
preaching 7:30 p. m. Meeting of vot-  
ing members at 2:30 p. m.

The Rev. J. W. Sykes, the rector of  
Grace church, in a letter to the senior  
warden advises that he will reach  
here in time for services tomorrow.  
There will therefore be services at  
10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

The Christian Scientists will hold  
their services in their new hall  
known as Stegar's hall, corner Sixth  
and Jackson Sunday at 10:30 a. m.  
Subject, God. Sunday school at 9:30  
a. m. Wednesday evening meeting at  
7:30 p. m. Everybody cordially invited

Services at the Mechanicsburg  
Methodist Episcopal church at 10:30  
and 7:30 and Sunday school at 9:15.  
Subject for the evening sermon "God's  
Watchman. Prayer meeting every  
Thursday evening. Every one wel-  
come. Rev. Robert A. Cummins,  
Pastor.

At Tenth street Christian church  
Sunday school at 9:30. It is hoped  
to have a very full attendance. Com-  
munion at 10:45. Every member of  
the church urged to be present for con-  
ference and considering the best inter-  
ests of the church. All friends will  
be welcome.

Broadway Methodist church: Sun-  
day school 9:30 a. m. J. D. Smith, Jr.,  
Supt. Preaching by Pastor, Rev. T. J.  
Newell 11 a. m. 7:30 p. m. Subject at  
11 a. m. "The Holy Sacrament." Sub-  
ject, at 7:30 a. m. "The Plea for More  
Time." League meets at 6:30 p. m.  
Prayer service Wednesday 7:30 p. m.

Next week will be observed as  
"Week of Prayer" by a number of  
the churches of the city, and there  
will be union services every night at  
the Broadway Methodist church. An  
interesting program has been arranged  
by the Ministerial Association, with  
helpful topics to be discussed by sev-  
eral ministers each evening.

Second Baptist church, corner Ninth  
and Ohio streets, W. H. Robinson, pas-  
tor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30  
p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.  
There will be no prayer meeting this  
week on account of the week of pray-  
er which will be a union meeting held  
at the Broadway Methodist church in  
which it is expected that all congrega-  
tions will take part.

First Baptist church: Pastor G. W.  
Perryman will preach both morning  
and evening and is anxious to have all  
members present as work will be laid  
out for the year. G. M. McNeill  
will address the Young People's meet-  
ing at 6:30. Dr. J. W. Hall one of  
the greatest preachers in the south  
will begin a meeting with the pastor  
two weeks from tomorrow.

There will be no German preach-  
ing at the Evangelical church as  
both services will be conducted in  
the English language.

Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Chil-  
dren's service at 10:30 a. m. The us-  
ual service at 7:30 a. m. The pastor,  
B. F. Walfman, desires that all parents  
come with their children to the morn-  
ing service. Visitors and strangers  
are heartily invited to attend.

Regular services tomorrow at the  
Cumberland Presbyterian church.  
Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.  
by the pastor, Rev. J. C. Reid. Subject  
of the morning sermon, "Redeeming  
the Time." Subject for the evening,  
"The Christian as Citizen." Before  
beginning the evening sermon Mr.  
Reid will call attention to some fea-  
tures of the opinion recently rendered  
by the city judge on the saloon closing  
question. Everybody invited

The usual services may be expected  
at the First Presbyterian church cor-  
ner Seventh and Jefferson streets, by  
the pastor Rev. W. E. Cave, D. D., to-  
morrow at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.  
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Mr. L. M.  
Kieke, Supt. Sunday school at Miz-  
pah Mission at 2:30 p. m. Mr. George  
B. Hart, Supt. Sunday school at He-  
bron Mission at 2:30 p. m. Mr. J. D.  
Moequut, Supt. Mr. George B. Hart  
will conduct services at Mizpah Mis-  
sion Sabbath night at 7:30 o'clock.

At the First Christian church, south-  
east corner of Seventh and Jeff-  
erison streets, there will be service at 10:45  
a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Mr. Pinkerton's  
subject at 7:30 p. m. will be "The  
Revelation of Christ's Temptations to  
New Year Resolutions. Sunday  
school at 9:30 a. m. Junior Endeavor  
at 2:30 p. m. Senior Endeavor at 6:  
30 p. m. It is important that every  
member of the church should be  
present at the morning service. The

## NEWS OF THE RIVERS.

Observations taken at 7 a. m. River  
28.8 on the gauge, a fall of 0.7 in last  
24 hours. Wind northwest, a light  
breeze. Weather raining and colder.  
Rainfall in last 24 hours 0.10 inches.  
Temperature 36. Fell. Observer.

The Carrsville is here from Cum-  
berland river.

The Dick Fowler cleared today on  
time for Cairo.

The John S. Hopkins is today's  
Evansville packet.

The Butterff is due tomorrow from  
Cumberland river.

The Charleston is due tomorrow  
from Tennessee river.

The Cowling missed one trip yester-  
day on account of the fog.

The Russell Lord will go into  
Tennessee river today after ties.

The Tennessee will leave tonight at  
6 o'clock for Tennessee river with a  
good trip.

The Alice Brown is lying at Hum-  
phries Creek, near Cairo waiting for  
the ice in the Mississippi river to  
thin out.

The Bonanza is due tomorrow  
from Memphis to Cincinnati. The  
Sunshine is being repaired at Cincin-  
nati. She had a hole knocked in her  
during the last trip and will not be  
able to run again for several days.  
The Bonanza will be the next boat  
down for Memphis.

Captain John Lovel, aged 75, one of  
the best known steamboat men of  
Nashville, and for years on the Cum-  
berland and Ohio, died at his home  
there from general debility. He built  
the boats J. W. Thomas, Ella Dora  
Cabler, Matt F. Allen J. S. Brans-  
ford and John W. Hart.

Official board for 1908 will be in-  
stalled, a report of the church's con-  
dition will be made and other busi-  
ness attended to.

Wansor Chapel: Gospel meeting at  
the Union Rescue Mission 431 South  
Third street, every night this winter  
at 7:30. Everybody made welcome.  
December 1907 was the first month  
of the fifth year. Full of labor and  
success, with the Xmas tree, greatly  
enhanced and long to be remembered  
by an essay entitled, "The Hell  
Bound Train," by Miss Annie May  
King of Meath, Ky., and a solo, en-  
titled, "The Silent Night," by Miss  
Olga Arnold of 428 South Third  
street, Paducah, Ky., both very clear  
and impressive, coming from two  
bright girls of 12 years old. The  
mission workers are hopeful of this  
being the best year of the work, and  
earnestly request the prayers of  
God's children and the cooperation  
of the public. R. W. CHILES, Pas-  
tor.

Dr. J. W. Smith of Marion, Ky.,  
is in the city on business.

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